

**REMARKS**

Claims 12-21 are currently pending in the present application. In the Office Action mailed on August 17, 2007, claims 12-18, 20, and 21 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103, and claim 19 has been allowed. Without conceding that the rejections of claims 12-18, 20, and 21 under 35 U.S.C. §103 are justified, nor agreeing with the Examiner's assertions with respect to her rejections, Applicants have cancelled claims 12-18, 20, and 21 to expedite issuance of allowed claim 19. Applicants reserve the right to prosecute the subject matter of claims 12-18, 20, and 21 in a continuation application without prejudice. Reconsideration and allowance of this application are most respectfully requested, in view of the above amendments.

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